

# KANSAS CAN BE COUNTED SAFE

Has Normal Republican Majority Of Thirty  
Thousand In Presidential Years.

## DEMOCRATS HAVE NO REAL HOPES

Neighboring State To Bryan's Home Too Loyal To G. O. P.  
Principles To Be Even Doubtful.

(By P. A. Lovewell.)

Topoka, Kas., Oct. 17.—Neither the 125,000 majority which Kansas gave Roosevelt or the 2,000 majority by which Gov. 12 W. Hoar was re-elected in 1906 represents the "normal" republican majority in the state of Kansas. On a conservative estimate Kansas is normally republican by 30,000. Although the voting population is capable of sudden and unexpected political reversals, there must be extraordinary conditions present in any campaign which gives promise of a democratic success.

In the present campaign, the candidates for state officers and United States senator were nominated for the first time by a direct primary.

The republican candidate for governor is Walter Houser Stubbs of Lawrence. Stubbs is wealthy and made his money in railroad contracting. Five years ago he quit railroad contracting and went into politics, becoming at once the leader of the "reform" crowd in the republican party, and conducting the fight which resulted in the enactment of an anti-pass law, primary election law, and much other reform legislation.

Jeremiah D. Harkin is the democratic nominee for governor. He was a Methodist preacher and served as presiding elder from 1880 to 1892. He was a republican up to 1888, when he accepted the prohibition nomination for governor of Kansas. He joined the populist party in 1891, and as the populist nominee for congress in the Third district in 1891 was defeated. In 1896 the populists nominated him for congressional campaign and he was elected by the largest majority ever given any candidate opposed to the republican party in Kansas. Since the populist party ceased to be a factor in Kansas politics, Mr. Harkin has been a democrat. In material wealth Mr. Harkin is a poor man.

Democratic leaders in Kansas believe that the conditions necessary to the overturning of a 30,000 normal republican majority are to be found in the present campaign. Their expectations of success are based chiefly on three things:

1. Factional bitterness between "reform" and "conservative" wings of republican party.

2. Personal popularity in Kansas of W. J. Bryan.

3. Democratic pluck for the enactment of state and national law for the guaranty of bank deposits.

The factional fight in the republican party reached its height at the primary in August when Stubbs, the leader of the "reform" crowd, defeated Leblond, leader of the "conservative" crowd for the nomination for governor, and J. L. Bristow, radical, defeated Chester L. Long, the present conservative incumbent, for the nomination for United States senator. Democrats expect this factional bitterness to cut both ways. They expect the "reformers" who are followers of La Follette to scratch Taft and the congressional nominees as a rebuke to the United States senate and Cannon. They expect the "conservative" republicans to scratch Stubbs and the republican nominee for the legislature to revenge the defeat of Leblond and Long.

W. J. Bryan's personal popularity in Kansas is undiminished. He has made many speeches in this state, and always drawn enormous audiences. Once he secured the electoral vote of Kansas. He made his "key-note" speech on the guaranty of bank deposits at the opening of the bank campaign in the city of Topeka. Whatever Kansas people may think of Mr. Bryan's statesmanship, it is generally agreed that he is honest and able.

Guaranty of deposits in banks is a proposition which has been before the people of Kansas for a number of years. It was defeated by a populist legislature about 15 years ago. It has been defeated by two regular and one special session of republican legislatures. The republican state platform declares unequivocally for a guaranty deposit law, as does the democratic platform. The republicans claim that the question is therefore not an issue in the campaign, but the failure of the republican national convention to endorse the plan, the promises given the question by Mr. Bryan, and the utterances of Mr. Taft against it have forced the question to the front in the Kansas campaign. The sentiment of a great majority of both republicans and democrats is for such a law.

Recently summarized, the democrats count on discredited "radical" republicans to give the state to Bryan, and discredited "conservative" republicans to give the state to Leblond, while the exploiting of the guaranty of bank deposits as a state issue is expected to contribute materially to the election of a democratic legislature. The sentiment of a great majority of both republicans and democrats is for such a law.

On national issues the republicans

pled for the election of Taft on the ground that his election means a continuation of the Roosevelt policies, and that it would be unwise and dangerous to place the government in the hands of a discredited theorist in whom they claim the business world lacks confidence.

Throughout the month of September the Bryan sentiment seemed to be gaining steadily in Kansas. The democratic leaders felt sure that Bryan's popularity would be the dominant factor in the campaign, and would sweep the whole democratic ticket into office. The attack on Mr. Bryan by Mr. Hearst, the Hearst affair, and the Roosevelt letters have had injurious effects on Bryan. These were followed by Mr. Taft's speaking trip through Kansas, in which he was greeted by unparalleled crowds at every stopping place. These occurrences have helped the republican prospects materially in Kansas.

There promises to be a gain in the democratic vote, both for the state and national tickets, in the larger cities. This is due to the efforts which have been made to turn into the democratic column the union labor vote, which is largely in the cities, and to the work of the Railway Protective association, an organization of railway employees supposed to be fostered by railway officials, which in Kansas is chiefly opposing the election of Stubbs and Bristow. Kansas, however, is an agricultural state, and the rural communities dominate the elections. In the rural districts the republican ticket will poll about its normal vote. It has been generally believed by republicans that Stubbs will run slightly ahead of Taft. Indications are that there will be democratic gains in the state legislature. The fight promises to center considerably in the control of the legislature. Republican control of the legislature means the election of Bristow to the United States senate. Democratic control means the election of Farwell. Eighty-three votes in the legislature constitutes a majority. At the 1907 session the democrats had a total of 23 votes in house and senate. To control the 1908 session, they must carry a gain of 60 votes. Many strong democratic candidates for the legislature have been nominated by the democrats, and it is likely that republican friends of Chester L. Long will aid in the election of some of these democratic candidates. Even with this assistance, however, it is unlikely that the democrats have enough strength to elect a majority of the members of the legislature. It would mean a democratic landslide in Kansas, which would carry down with it Taft, Stubbs and the whole republican ticket in Kansas.

There are at present no indications sufficiently strong to warrant the prediction of a political reversal of such magnitude.

## GERMAN BALLOON IS FOUND IN NORTH SEA

The Two Aerobats Who Sailed Away  
in the "Hercules" Are De-  
clared to Have Perished.

(BY ASSOCIATED PRESS.)  
Yarmouth, Eng., Oct. 17.—The German balloon "Hercules" has been picked up in the North sea. Two aerobats who were aboard the craft are believed to have perished.

## CHARITY WORKERS OF INDIANA MEET

State Conference of Charities and  
Corrections Begins at  
South Bend.

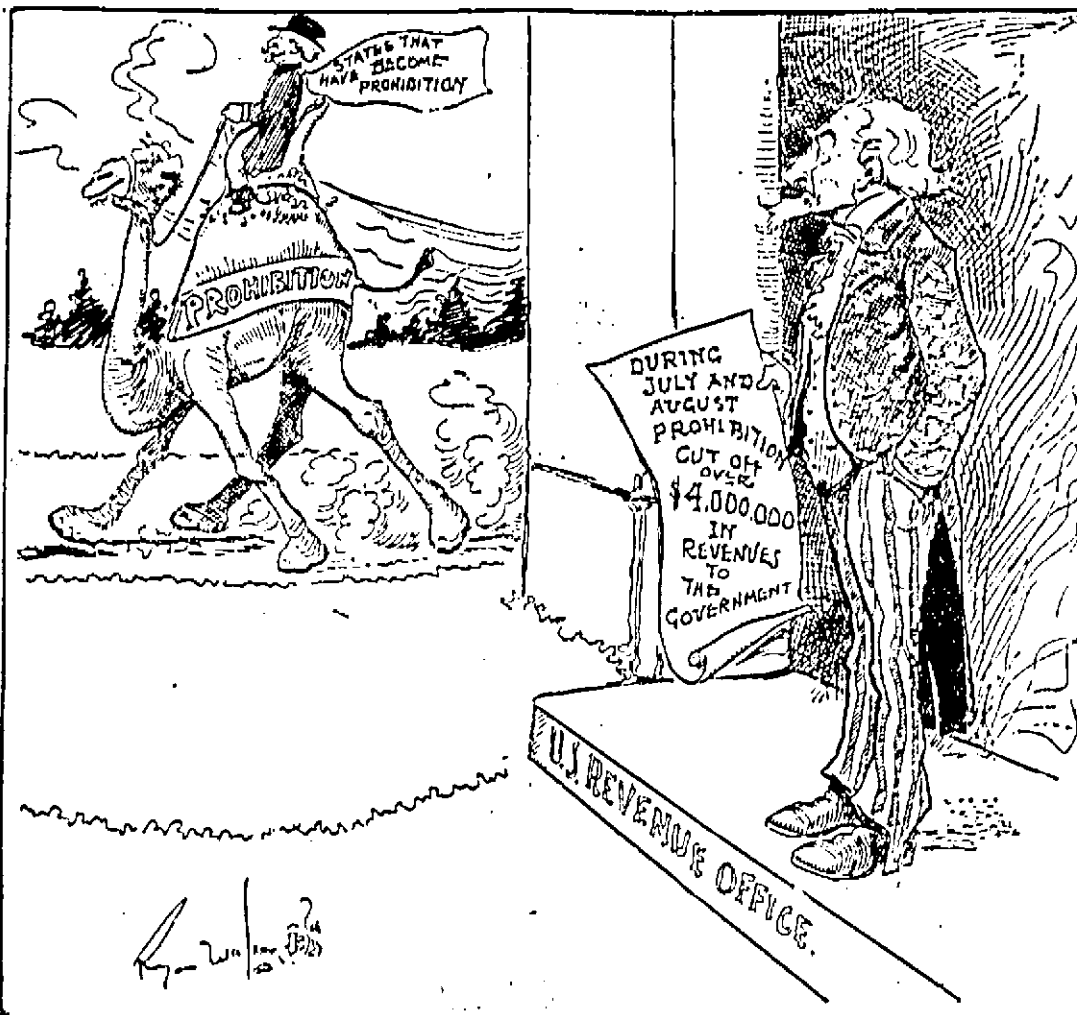
(SPECIAL TO THE GAZETTE.)  
South Bend, Ind., Oct. 17.—Many visitors have arrived in the city to attend the seventeenth annual meeting of the State Conference of Charities and Corrections. The conference is to have its formal opening this evening, when addresses will be delivered by the president, Dr. George F. Eldenhorn, superintendent of the Central Hospital for the Insane, and Dr. H. E. Burnard, State Food and Drug Commissioner. Governor Hanly has accepted an invitation to address the conference tomorrow afternoon. The conference will continue over Monday and Tuesday.

## NEW JERSEY JUDGE COMMITTED SUICIDE

(BY ASSOCIATED PRESS.)  
Newark, N. J., Oct. 17.—Judge Howell of the criminal court fatally shot himself in the head today while en route to the state house to appear. The judge had been criticized in a political campaign.

## REELFOOT WON THE FINAL TWO HEATS IN 2:00 PACE AT LEXINGTON, KENTUCKY

(BY ASSOCIATED PRESS.)  
Lexington, Ky., Oct. 17.—"Reelfoot" won the final two heats in the 2:00 pace carried over from yesterday. "Taxider" was second; Elsie, third. Best time 2:00.5.



Uncle Revenue Sam—That Camel certainly is taking away a good customer of mine.

## TWENTY-SEVEN HAVE PERISHED IN UPPER MICHIGAN FIRES

Presque Isle Country Forest Conflagration  
in Still Raging Uncontrolled  
Through Four Counties.

(BY ASSOCIATED PRESS.)  
Alpena, Mich., Oct. 17.—With twenty-seven people known to have perished yesterday in the Presque Isle country and with forest fires still raging uncontrolled through four counties of northern Michigan, a diligent search was begun today to determine the full extent of the holocaust. The death list may not be fully known for a week.

Recovering Bodies.  
Detroit, Mich., Oct. 17.—A Journal dispatch from Rogers City says four members of the family of John Seizer, who were burned to death by forest fires near that place, a Cheboygan special states that the bodies of six children named Dunn have been found near Metz. Alpena reports that Miss Seiber was burned to death at a lumber camp on Volk Creek.

Family Perishes on Farm.  
Hurst, Presque Isle County, Mich., Oct. 17.—Henry Kamps, his wife and two children were burned to death on their farm. Another child is missing. The four bodies were found in the ruins of the farmhouse.

Nine Towns Threatened.  
Sault Ste. Marie, Mich., Oct. 17.—Forest fires are burning around nine small towns in Chippewa county. West Neshkiah was saved only by a shift of wind. The lightning crew at Point St Ignace has asked for help and the tug Aspen has gone to its relief.

Pennsylvania Village Burned.  
Titusville, Pa., Oct. 17.—Lincolnton, a village near here, was consumed by flames that started from a forest fire. Help was summoned from nearby places.

## INDICTED FOR THE MURDER OF ANNIS

Grand Jury at Flushing, L. I., Finds  
Reason to Prosecute Capt. Peter  
and T. Jenkins Hains.

(BY ASSOCIATED PRESS.)  
New York, Oct. 17.—An indictment charging Captain Peter C. Hains, Jr., and T. Jenkins Hains with the murder of William B. Annis in August was drawn up by the grand jury at Flushing, L. I., today.

## BAD BLAZE TODAY AT LINCOLN, NEB.

Military Academy Burned This Morn-  
ing—Loss \$100,000—Cadets  
All Escaped.

(BY ASSOCIATED PRESS.)  
Lincoln, Neb., Oct. 17.—The Nebraska Military Academy, located three miles west of the city, burned this morning; loss estimated at one hundred thousand dollars. The sixty-five boys who were enrolled escaped without injury.

## AYLWARD SPEAKS AT MONROE TONIGHT

(SPECIAL TO THE GAZETTE.)  
Monroe, Wis., Oct. 17.—The democrats of this city met last evening in the courthouse and perfected arrangements for the opening of the campaign in the county tonight when John A. Aylward, democratic nominee for governor, will speak in the Turner opera-house here. He will be introduced by G. T. Hodges, chairman of the county committee, and a reception will be held by the speaker after the meeting. He spoke at Broadhead this afternoon and was brought to this city by Mr. Hodges and Willis Ludlow in the latter's automobile.

## NEWS FORECAST OF THE COMING WEEK

Political Excitement Continues—Fleet  
in Japan—Vanderbilt  
Cup Race.

(SPECIAL TO THE GAZETTE.)  
Washington, D. C., Oct. 17.—From ocean to ocean and from the lakes to the gulfs the country will thrill with the noise and excitement of political demonstrations during the coming week, the last week but one before the people register the final verdict at the polls. Taft and Sherman, Bryan and Kern, Chadwick, Hagen, and Debs, with a small army of campaign orators, will be heard daily and nightly in as many cities and towns as can be reached by fast-speeding trains.

Of the presidential candidates William J. Bryan plans to cover the greatest expanse of territory during the six days beginning with Monday. The four weeks he has been traveling hundreds of miles and heard in nearly a dozen states.

Mr. Taft will begin the week in New Jersey and Maryland, and then turn westward again, speaking Tuesday in West Virginia. He will devote Wednesday to Ohio and the remainder of the week to Indiana, now generally admitted to be the most doubtful state in the middle West.

Secretary Strauss will be one of the newcomers in the campaign. The republican committee has arranged to have him deliver five speeches during the week in Cleveland, Indianapolis, Chicago, St. Louis and Louisville.

At Dallas, S. D., the lottery drawing will be held Monday for the surplus funds of the Rosebud Indian reservation, comprising nearly 800,000 acres.

The memory of Bishop Henry C. Potter, who died at his summer home in Cooperstown, N. Y., last July, will be honored Tuesday with an imposing funeral and public service in Grace church in New York. The service will be followed by the entombment of the remains in the new Cathedral of St. John the Divine in Morningside Heights.

One of the important conventions of the week will be the sixty-second annual meeting of the American Missionary association, to be held in Galveston, Ill., during the three days beginning with Tuesday.

Another interesting gathering of a religious character will be the first International Student Bible Convention under the auspices of the Y. M. C. A. The convention will assemble in Columbus, Ohio, Thursday for a session of three days.

James S. Sherman, republican candidate for vice president, and a number of other men of wide prominence are scheduled to address the annual Lake Mohawk Conference of Friends of the Indian and Other Dependents, which is to meet at Lake Mohawk Wednesday.

Overshadowing all other events of the week in the world of sport will be the automobile race for the Vanderbilt Cup, which is to be decided Saturday over the new course on Long Island.

The festivities in Japan in honor of the visit of the American battleship fleet will begin Monday and continue through the week. The entertainment will be on a most elaborate scale and is expected to attract world-wide attention.

Abroad, sharing interest with the development of the Balkan situation, will be the elections in Persia for the new national assembly and senate. The elections will be followed by the convening of parliament early in November.

## \$70,000 LOSS FROM A FIRE AT BARRON

Big Blaze in the Business Section of  
Wisconsin Town Occurred  
Today.

(BY ASSOCIATED PRESS.)  
Barron, Wis., Oct. 17.—Fire early today in the business section of the city caused a loss estimated at seventy thousand dollars.

## TEXAS STATE FAIR WAS OPENED TODAY

Governor of State Presides Button  
Which Sets Machinery  
in Motion.

(SPECIAL TO THE GAZETTE.)  
Dallas, Texas, Oct. 17.—The twenty-third annual meeting of the Texas State Fair was opened at 9 o'clock this morning, at which hour Governor Campbell presided an electric button that started the machinery of the big exposition in motion. Simultaneously the gates of the fair were opened for the admission of the public and before noon it became evident that all attendance records for an opening day would go by the board.

Judged from every point of view the fair this year is more elaborate than ever before. The new agricultural building, the mammoth hall of machinery and manufactures, the poultry department and the space allotted to the display of live stock, swine, horses and sheep—all are filled to overflowing with exhibits of the highest class.

In the agricultural and horticultural departments the displays are unusually numerous and embrace everything grown on farm, orchard and garden. The cotton seed industry of Texas is specially represented. There are corn stalks 18 feet in length, onions 15 inches in circumference, apples of immense size, and a wide array of other attractive and interesting exhibits.

The amusement park attractions also are worthy of note. Several noted bands have been engaged and all of the usual vaudeville attractions are to be seen. The racing program is pronounced by horsemen to be one of the best ever arranged for a meet in the Southwest.

Dallas presents a holiday appearance in honor of the opening of the fair, and buildings and streets are easily decorated. Every arriving train is greeted by hundreds of citizens, among whom are many from distant points.

## FOOT BALL GAMES IN WEST SATURDAY

Chicago and Minnesota Both Have  
Hard Games For Today—Wis-  
consin vs. Indiana.

(SPECIAL TO THE GAZETTE.)  
Chicago, Ill., Oct. 17.—The college gridirons of the middle West will see a number of important football contests today, the game for the most part being more important than is usually the case this early in the season. Most interest centers in the contests between Chicago and Illinois at Marshall Field and the Nebraska-Minnesota game at Minneapolis.

Other games of more or less interest that are scheduled for the day include Michigan and Notre Dame at Ann Arbor, Wisconsin and Indiana at Huntington, Iowa and Missouri at Columbia, Oklahoma and Kansas at Lawrence, and Ohio State and West-ern Reserve.

## TAFT WILL CONFER WITH ROOSEVELT

For First Time Since Last August  
Two Men Will Have Per-  
sonal Meeting.

(SPECIAL TO THE GAZETTE.)  
Washington, D. C., Oct. 17.—The first personal conference between President Roosevelt and Judge Taft that has taken place since they met at Oyster Bay last August, previous to the beginning of the stupor of the presidential campaign, is slated to take place tomorrow. Following the close of a busy week of speech-making tonight Judge Taft will leave Richmond and come to this city to stay over Sunday. It is expected the greater part of the day will be spent at the White House, where the President and the candidate for President will go over in detail the plans that are making for the concluding two weeks of the republican national campaign.

# BITTER POLITICAL FIGHT STIRS UP THE CANADIANS

Conservatives Are Making Fight For "Square Deal" And Civil Service Reform.

(SPECIAL TO THE GAZETTE.)

Ottawa, Ont., Oct. 17.—A campaign that is almost without precedent in the annals of Canadian politics for bitterness and intensity is now raging with full force from the Atlantic to the Pacific. Nomination for parliament with full force from the Atlantic to general election will take place one week later.

The issues of the campaign are federal rather than provincial. The Conservative party seeks power on a broad platform, which, briefly, includes honest appropriation and expenditure of public money, appointment of public officials by merit only, more effective provisions to punish bribery and fraud in elections, the publication of expenditures by political organizations, civil service reform or the appointment of civil servants by an independent commission, Senate Manitoba, more rigid inspection of immigrants, non-partisan management of the public railways, the establishment of a thorough system of cold storage, a public utilities commission to control corporations operating public franchises, national telegraphs and telephones, better postal facilities, a protective tariff, imperial preference, the maintenance of provincial rights, and free rural mail delivery.

Along with this is a vigorous attack on the government on account of alleged timber land scandals and timber deals in Western Canada, by which friends of the government are said to have made huge profits.

The government meets these charges with the statement that Western lands, some 30,000,000 acres, have been opened for settlement; that immigration has increased from 25,000 in 1896 when Sir Wilfrid Laurier first became premier, to 252,038 in 1908; that Canadian manufactures have been enormously developed, and that the public interests have been conserved. As an offset to other charges of the Conservatives the government recently announced a free rural mail delivery to 50 per cent of the farmers of Canada, and the appointment of an independent civil service commission which will have control of all appointments and promotions in the service.

The Tenth Canadian Parliament, elected to office four years ago, and dissolved last month, was composed of 214 members, 140 Liberals and 74 Conservatives. The new parliament will consist of 221 members. Strange as it may seem, when it is considered that Sir Wilfrid Laurier in the parliament just dissolved had a majority of the nearly 70 members, a change in heart of six per cent of the people of Canada, equally distributed, would mean the defeat of the existing government.

The principal battlegrounds are Quebec and Ontario. In Ontario the Conservatives are hopeful of repeating their success in the local elections last June. As for Western Canada the prediction is made that instead of having six representatives in the next parliament the Conservatives of that section will have fifteen—one each from the provinces of Manitoba, Saskatchewan and British Columbia, and probably two from Alberta and one from the Yukon.

In the Maritime Provinces the pivotal points are Nova Scotia and New Brunswick. It is generally admitted that the Conservatives must make heavy gains in that section if they are to end the present Liberal regime in Ottawa. In the election four years ago the Liberals carried all eighteen seats in Nova Scotia. One was lost at a special election last November. The Conservatives of the province declare that they will retain this gain and are sanguine that they can carry six other seats.

Sir Wilfrid Laurier, the leader of the Liberal forces, will be sixty-seven years old next month. His personality has dominated the Liberal party during its most potent period of ascendancy. He became leader of the Liberal opposition, and on the defeat of Sir Charles Tupper's Government he was called upon to form a cabinet. His government has since been twice sustained, in 1900 and 1904, each time with increased majorities.

Leading the Conservative opposition is Robert L. Borden, M. P., of Halifax. He is a native of Nova Scotia, and of Scotch descent. He became leader of his party in 1901, on the retirement of Sir Charles Tupper.

# WAR BETWEEN BULGARIA AND TURKEY INEVITABLE

The Sick Man Of Europe Is Mobilizing Troops  
And Making Preparations For  
Battle.

(BY ASSOCIATED PRESS.)

Park, Oct. 17.—The situation between Bulgaria and Turkey is regarded here today as distinctly more grave, owing to refusal to agree to the attitude of the former and the latter's preparations for war.

Armies Corps in Readiness.  
Paris, Oct. 17.—The French government has just received an official confirmation of the previous reports of

mobilization by Turkey of the Anatolian army corps. This is regarded in official circles as Turkey's answer to Bulgaria's refusal to accept compensation for the Oriental railroad. It is believed that it will make war practically inevitable.

Massacres in Armenia.  
Berlin, Oct. 17.—There have been frightful massacres in Armenia according to the Constantinople correspondent of the Berliner Tageblatt.

## SCENT FAT GRAFT FOR THE STUDENTS

Sale of \$1 Green Flannel Caps to  
Freshmen by U. of W. Upper-  
Classmen Is Being Probed by  
Faculty.

(SPECIAL TO THE GAZETTE.)  
Madison, Wis., Oct. 17.—President Charles R. Van Hise and a committee of students are investigating what appears to be a fat graft worked by a number of upper classmen to win their way to a bunch of money through the freshmen. Last year these upper classmen secured the enactment of a rule at a general students' meeting requiring the men of the freshman class to wear little green flannel caps with red buttons. Accordingly this fall these caps were placed on sale at the students' cooperative store for \$1 each. It was admitted that the price was twice too high, but it was given over to the athletic association. However, nothing has been given to the athletic association and when people began to wonder where the money went an investigation was started. A Milwaukee firm said they could furnish the caps so as to sell at 39 cents and still make a fair profit. The cooperative store gets only 15 cents for selling each cap, so there is nearly half a dollar profit on each little green lid for some enterprising students who handled the deal. Some 600 of them have been sold.

## SOME ANXIETY FELT FOR THE AMERICAN GUNBOAT YANKTON

Which Left Olongapo For Yokohama  
on Oct. 10 and Has Not Since  
Been Sighted.

(BY ASSOCIATED PRESS.)  
Tokio, Japan, Oct. 17.—The American gunboat "Yankton" which left Olongapo on Oct. 10th for Yokohama, had not been sighted nor definitely located up to night last night. There is some uneasiness felt concerning her.

## PRESIDENT WILL KEEP HANDS OFF

(BY ASSOCIATED PRESS.)  
Washington, D. C., Oct. 17.—Distinctly refraining from interference in the election of political candidates but reserving the right to state any facts as to his connection "with any man's act," is the President's attitude as outlined in a statement given out at the White House today.

## ARMY HELD OLD ELI TO 6 TO 0 SCORE

Neither Yale Nor West Point Could  
Cross Goal During First Half of  
Today's Football Game.

(BY ASSOCIATED PRESS.)  
West Point, Oct. 17.—Prediction that the "Army rule" would prove a hard proposition for Yale with Capt. Bobby Burch, Left Guard, Andrew, Right Guard, Conroy, Left Tackle, Hobbs, and Left End Logan on the hospital list were verified today. The score at the end of the first half was: Yale, 0; Army, 0.

YALE WINS  
Final score: Yale, 6; Army, 0.  
Final: Princeton, 10; Virginia Poly-technic, 4.  
First half: Chicago, 5; Illinois, 0.

John A. Aylward Here: John A. Aylward, democratic nominee for the office of governor, was in the city last evening conferring with some of the leading Democrats here.















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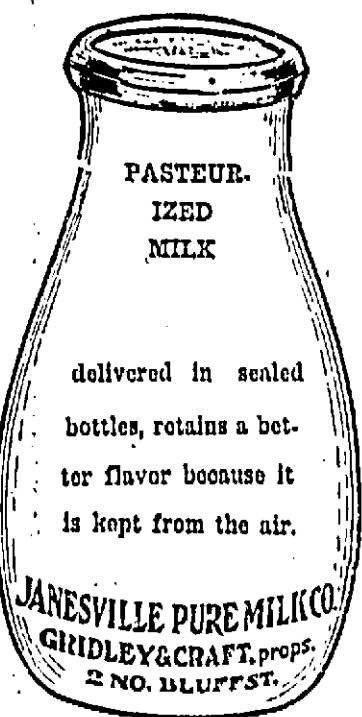
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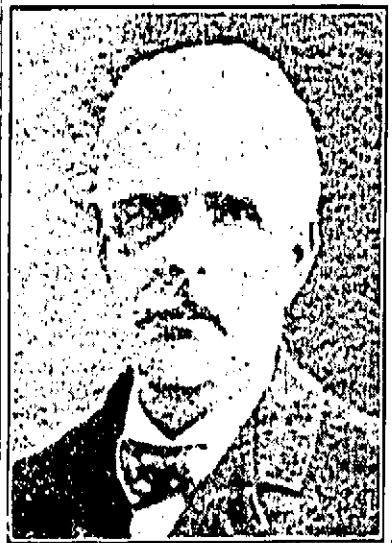


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**GOLDEN WEDDING  
WAS CELEBRATED**

Family and Friends of Mr. and Mrs. A. E. Wilcox at Happy Event.

On Tuesday, October 13, about a hundred members of the family and friends of Mr. and Mrs. A. E. Wilcox gathered at their home in the town of Harmony, the happy occasion being the fiftieth anniversary of their wedding. Of their nine children, all of whom are living, all were present but one son. They were: Mrs. James Clark of Milton, Rosamond Wilcox of Beloit, Mrs. Eva Cannon of Janesville, Edward Wilcox of Milton.

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Mrs. Clara Robinson of Milton, Mrs. Edith Brown of Harmony, Frank Wilcox of Harmony and William Wilcox of Harmony, Morrell Wilcox, the oldest son, who lives in Montana, was the only child not present. Of the twenty-one grandchildren all but three were present. One great-grandchild, Miss Olive Hutehuff of Elgin, Mont., is also living but was not present.

After a beautiful dinner which was served in a tent erected for the purpose, the children presented both Mr. and Mrs. Wilcox with a gold watch.

**MRS. A. E. WILCOX**

and other friends remembered them with appropriate gifts. The remainder of the day was spent in songs, games and recalling old times.

Mr. Wilcox was born in Roscoe, Ill., and moved to Wisconsin when a small boy. Mrs. Wilcox was born in New York state and also came to this state when a child. Both Mr. and Mrs. Wilcox have lived practically all their lives in Rock county and for the past fifty years have continued their farm in the town of Harmony.

The parents of both Mr. and Mrs. Wilcox lived to celebrate their golden wedding.

**PERSONAL MENTION.**

Father Vaughan returned this morning from a lecturing trip in Canada, the Dakotas and Minnesota. John McDermott, Mr. and Mrs. Michael McDermott and Martha McDermott went to Madison today for a few days visit.

Miss Alvina Walsh went to Milwaukee this morning.

The condition of Helen Conrad, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. W. B. Conrad, who has been seriously ill, remained about the same today.

Mrs. A. C. Campbell and daughter Belle will spend Monday in Chicago.

David Brown, postmaster at Koshkonong, was in the city yesterday.

Alvin Dunwiddie is home from Wayland Academy for over Sunday.

J. E. Evenson is at home for a few days after a trip on the road.

Prof. Vignum of the high school faculty, who is seriously ill with appendicitis, is about the same today.

Mrs. C. V. Hubbard was called to Madison this morning by the illness of her husband.

George Wise will spend Sunday at Lake Koshkonong.

John Lee, who is attending Beloit Academy, is in Janesville for over Sunday.

H. D. Chudwick of Monroe was here today to witness the football game between Janesville and Monroe high school teams.

Mrs. C. E. Mahbott and Miss Alice Mahbott of Edgerton were visitors in the city today.

J. H. Campbell of Stoughton was in the city on business.

Miss Bess H. Brown of Ashland and Miss Mae Rowe of Plymouth spent the day here.

H. S. Clifford of Beloit was a business visitor here today.

Mrs. T. M. Ellis and Mrs. F. W. McAssay of Rockford visited in the city today.

Miss Nora Rush of Beloit spent the day here.

J. T. Flanders of Elkhorn was in Janesville on business.

J. J. Davis and family of Rockford were here for the day.

Sevel McGill of Beloit was a visitor here today.

Automobile Parties: W. G. McCarthy of Beloit, host of the Hilton House, and his wife, and R. B. King of Chicago went through here in an auto today and were registered at the Myers Hotel. E. C. Farney and E. F. Sullivan, both of Milwaukee, made up another auto party through here. Mr. Sullivan is the proprietor of the Sullivan Motor company. They are on their way to Dubuque, Iowa.

**FIELD WORK FOR  
VARIOUS CLASSES**

Students in High School Are Taken on Walks—Botany Class

This week some of the studies at the high school have been more interesting to the pupils because the teachers have taken them on expeditions for observation. The classes in composition taught by Miss Mount and the physical geography classes which Miss Armstrong has charge of are the ones that have been doing field work. Monday afternoon they took the boys and girls along the west side of the river for some distance for field work. Yesterday morning the botany classes enjoyed an expedition around the Horns. The chief value of these excursions is that the pupils learn more by seeing things and making about them than they can acquire from the pages of a book.

**CHARITABLE WORK  
FOR COMING WINTER**

Will Be Planned at the Annual Meeting of the Associated Charities

The annual meeting of the Associated Charities will be held Monday P. M. at the city hall. The meeting will be held at four o'clock at the council room, city hall. At this meeting is for the purpose of planning the work for the coming year and the election of officers and committees. It is hoped there will be a large attendance. The work done by this society is through committees, but at this first meeting everybody is invited, and to anyone at all interested in helping the poor and destitute a hearty invitation is extended to be at this meeting. There are willing hands and hearts to do this work, but they want to have others come and see what is being done. The report of the last year is very interesting and will be presented at the meeting. A special invitation is extended to the committees from the several churches and societies who are engaged in the same general work to be present, that plans may be formulated so all can work together.

**LOCAL PARAGRAPHS.**

The best in all kinds of winter underwear at Archie Reid's.

LOST—Gold watch for sale with owner's name engraved upon it. Reward if returned to this office.

Shawl sold at Archie Reid's.

St. Mary's Ct. No. 175 will entertain at a luncheon and card party to be given at Central Hall Friday afternoon, Oct. 23rd. Ladies are cordially invited.

Solvey—burn it as you do hard coal. Now suits in sizes 42, 44 and 46 at Archie Reid's.

M. E. Church rummage sale at West Side Farmers' Rest opens Wednesday, Oct. 21st.

New fall suitings and waists at special low prices. T. P. Burns.

35 New York sample suits in today. Archie Reid Co.

Special bargains in suits and cloaks for ladies, misses and juniors. T. P. Burns.

The Commercial Dancing club will hold the first of their private dance series Saturday, Oct. 17th, at East Side Odd Fellows' hall, from 8 to 12. Hatch and Knoff's orchestra will furnish the music.

The Apollo Club will open its season of 1908-9 Monday evening, Oct. 20th, with a concert by the famous Braun String Trio from the Thomas Orchestra, with their own pianist. Program will include songs, duets and trios. The Apollo Club concerts are for members only, whose annual dues are paid in advance. Members will save time and delay at the hall by calling on Mr. C. P. Boers, secretary, at his office in the meantime and paying annual dues. Initiation fee for new members two dollars; associate membership dues three dollars; active membership dues beginning with present season two dollars. The club will give ten entertainments during the coming season.

**OBITUARY.**

Miss Grace Emerson, whose funeral was held here Thursday morning, had been in ill health for the past two years and at the time of her death was on her way from her home in Davidson, Sask., to Pomona, Cal., to spend the winter. After crossing the mountains in western Canada she was taken seriously ill and was taken to St. Joseph's hospital in Victoria, where she underwent an operation for ulceration of the stomach. Her strength was not sufficient to rally from this and she died Oct. 2.

Her sister, Miss Katherine Emerson, accompanied the remains to this city. She is survived by her father, Mr. D. H. Emerson, formerly of the town of Newark in this county; a brother, Morton, of Davidson, Sask.; and five sisters, Mrs. L. E. Warren of Boise, Idaho, Mrs. M. E. Doney of Beloit, Wis., Mrs. Fred Eldridge of Hobron, Ill., and the Misses Anabel and Katherine Emerson of Davidson, Sask.

**L. F. Horn**

The funeral services of L. F. Horn were held at Waukegan today. The Rev. Father Miller of that place officiating. The remains were then brought to Janesville and taken from the depot to the Mt. Olivet cemetery, where the interment took place this afternoon. The services were in charge of the Order of Railway Conductors and a large number of railway men attended the funeral. The pallbearers were Conductors Birmingham, Zimmerman, Danna, Maxson, Whitney, Johnson, Sweeney, chief conductor of division 253, and Dunwiddie.

Men's Meeting: Prof. John P. Deane of Beloit College will speak to men at the Y. M. C. A. building tomorrow afternoon at 3 o'clock. He will take for his subject "The Ideal Man." This is a special opportunity to hear a man of large experience and ability of a live and up-to-date topic. Mr. Deane has so worked out this in a practical sense among men that he feels he can suggest lines of action that will bring about better results in the daily routine of life. It is hoped that a large number will avail themselves of the chance to hear Mr. Deane.

**SOCIETY**

Mrs. D. Parker leaves Monday for Pasadena, Cal., where she will spend the winter.

Mrs. J. P. Thatcher and Mrs. Tappen of Lake Geneva are here for a visit with Mr. and Mrs. H. C. Baell.

Miss Inez Heath of New Lisbon, Wis., who has been visiting here, returned to her home this morning.

Mrs. Walle of New York is expected to arrive today for a visit with Mrs. A. P. Lovejoy.

Mr. and Mrs. Wheelock and daughter of Lewiston, Maine, arrived here today and will make their future home in Janesville. They will be the guests of Mrs. A. P. Lovejoy for some time before moving into a home of their own.

Mrs. John McGowan of Avon and Mrs. August Knox of this city have returned from a visit in Madison at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Martin Reed and other relatives. The ladies had not seen Mr. Reed, who is their brother, in over twenty years and during that time had not known of his whereabouts. They only recently learned accidentally where he was living.

Miss Minnie Anderson, who visited this summer in Mitchell, South Dakota, has returned. Miss Edna Somers, who has been visiting here, accompanied her and both stopped in Champaign, South Dakota, to register for a claim in the Tripp County lands.

Miss Nellie Atkinson was hostess to a pleasant birthday surprise party given last evening at the home of Mr. and Mrs. P. S. Baumgartner, 1716 Sharon street. About thirty-five friends participated in the event and a jolly evening was spent in games and music, after which a delightful supper was served by the Misses Orpha Baumgartner, Jessie Collins and Isabelle McGowan. Miss Atkinson received a number of useful gifts and the guests, departing at a late hour, wished her many happy returns of the day.

Miss Sylvia Cannon entertained a number of her schoolmates at a six o'clock dinner Friday evening at the home of her parents on Carleton street. The prizes were awarded to Miss Katherine Joffe and Miss Whit-

Mrs. Frank Smith is confined to her home by illness.

Seven ladies from Hebron and Genoa Junction, Ill., are guests of Mrs. Thurston L. Mason at her home, 105 South Second street. They are the Mesdames John Reynolds, Elly Holmes, Stephen Golden, Royce Ehl, Russell Holmes, Walter Andrews, and Mildred Trapp. All are former schoolmates of Mrs. Mason.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Garbutt and daughter have gone to Milwaukee to attend the St. Andrew's Brotherhood convention and will spend Sunday in the metropolis.

Mrs. W. H. Judd spent yesterday in Chicago.

Miss Elizabeth McKee entertained a few young people at Ghost Party last evening in honor of Kramer Day.

Miss Loomis of Portage, who has been the guest of Mr. and Mrs. F. S. Sheldon, returned to her home this morning.

Mrs. V. P. Richardson entertained one of the ladies' card clubs at her home yesterday. Mrs. Caldwell of Nashville, Tenn., was awarded the victory prize. Mrs. A. P. Burnham, received first honors and the coveted prize went to Miss Rita Capelle. Supper was served at six o'clock.

Mrs. F. S. Sheldon entertained yesterday afternoon in honor of her guests, the Misses Loomis of Portage and Miss Helen Nash, who will move to Chicago in a few weeks.

Mrs. Fred Hume of Forest, Ohio, and Mrs. George Irwin of this city met at the home of the latter this week for the first time in forty-seven years. The two sisters have planned to visit each other many times, but this is the first time they have been able to meet.

Mr. and Mrs. J. Hackett of Fairfield in this county will shortly receive invitations for the celebration of their golden wedding, which will occur at their home on Saturday, October 24th.

Formal announcement of the engagement of Miss Mae Pelton to Charles E. Tallman will be made within the next few days. Miss Pelton has for some time been at the Merry Hospital as a nurse and Mr. Tallman, who is the youngest son of

Mrs. E. D. Tallman, is with the Wisconsin Telephone company. The wedding will occur on November 4th and the happy couple will make their home at the Tallman residence on North Jackson street.

**CASE MAY BE HEARD  
ON OCTOBER 30TH**

Judge Grimm on Tuesday Set That as Tentative Date for Brown-Appleby Case.

On Tuesday last when Judge Grimm was in the city he set the trial of the case of the State of Wisconsin vs. George Appleby for the 30th of October. This is but a tentative date, as it is not certain whether both the attorneys for the parties can try the case at that time. Judge Grimm left on Thursday night and will be in Janesville for an hour Monday morning. He will be back again the week of the 25th.

**RIP SAW TOOK OFF  
FINGERS AND THUMB**

Chas. Presler, a Sheboygan Young Man Who Has Been Working in Cullen Planing Mill, Lost Digits.

Yesterday afternoon about four o'clock, Chas. Presler, who has been working at the J. P. Cullen company's planing mill, caught his left hand in a rip saw and the middle and index fingers were taken off just below the second joint. The thumb was cut off at the first joint. The man was taken to Dr. Palmer's office, immediately after the accident, where his wounds were dressed. He has been in the employ of the company only about a month, coming here from Sheboygan.

**WILL MEET MONROE  
THIS AFTERNOON**

Second Game of Season to be Played Here by High School Football Team.

This afternoon the football team of the Janesville high school meets the eleven from the Monroe high school in their second game for the season. The local players go into the game under a big disadvantage. The coach, Prof. Vignum, has been sick for the past ten days and the team has only been able to have two or three practices. P. E. Birch of the Y. M. C. A. has been coaching the team this week. Several players have also been forced to withdraw from the team owing to parental opposition.

The local lineup is as follows: Campbell, right end; Wikstrom, right tackle; Randall, right guard; Shawhan, center; Sallor, left guard; Kennedy, left tackle; Morrill, left end; Fisher, quarterback; E. Tippet, left half; Laughlin, right tackle; R. Tippet, full-back.

The Monroe football team accompanied by twenty rooters arrived in the city this morning for the Janesville-Monroe game this afternoon. The lineup of Monroe is as follows: Harmon, center; Davis, right guard; Stauffer, left guard; Capen, right tackle; Mitchell, left tackle; Lewis, right end; Clifton, left end; Colquhoun, quarter; Fricke, right half; Woodie, left half; Lanz, full.

**Poultry Show:** At McVicar Brothers' store last evening the members of the Southern Wisconsin Poultry Association held a meeting to discuss the show which is to be held here this winter. Reports showed that over a thousand birds will be on exhibition. The date in January 4th to 9th and the Rink building will be engaged. A committee of three was appointed to look after the advertising. They are Orville Morse, John D. King, and William W. Voth.

**Taken to Poor Farm:** At his own request Michael Connors was taken to the Poor Farm this morning. Connors, who gave his age as 58 and now lives at his birthplace, has been sick and unable to work during most of the summer.

**Don't miss the big Clearing Up Sale on all Fruits and Vegetables.**

Everything goes at cost after supper

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YELLOW ONIONS 20c PECK.

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A slice of Brie Cheese.

A chunk of fresh imported Swiss Cheese, as moist and fine as you please.

An individual can of mushrooms at 13c to go with that steak.

A pound or two of red, white, and blue grapes.

And remember that anything that will be good Sunday and not Monday, you can buy tonight at about your own price.

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Go to Beloit: Thirty members of the E. P. U. went to Beloit last evening, where they were entertained by the Elmo City lodge of the order. A musical and literary program was followed by a supper and the evening's entertainment closed with a dance.

**John Wanamaker**

in one of his reports to Congress says: "That the law under which these associations (that is the national banks) operated is absolutely perfect no one well informed will claim, but that it has afforded greater security to its depositors and creditors than any other system is indisputable."

**ROCK COUNTY  
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Capital, Surplus and Profits  
**\$180,000**

**THE FIXTURES OF THE  
LEONARD-  
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For Sale at Trustee Prices

Look this list over and see if there is not something you need. Every item a bargain.

1 Chestnut Mare .....\$45.00

1 Gray Mare .....\$60.00

2 Covered Delivery Wagons, \$40

1 National Cash Register, \$40

1 U. S. Cash Register, \$5.00

1 Remington Typewriter, \$25.00

1 Letter Press .....\$2.00

4 Wheel Stove Trucks, \$1.75

1 Meat Market Outfit—Ice Box, Scales, Meat Blocks, Marble Slabs, etc., cheap.

14 Show Cases from \$2.00 up.

2 Screw Cases.

2 Electric Motors.

1 Coffee Mill.

32nd Hand Furnaces.

1 Glass Rack and Board.

4 Display Stands.

6 Display Tables.

2 Computing Scales.

1 Cheese Cutter.

7 Counters.

4 Display Crockery Counters.

1 Letter Filing Case.

1 Fine Cashier and Bookkeeper's Desk.







## URGES SOUTH TO QUIT DEMOCRACY

KEYNOTE OF TAFT'S ARGUMENT  
IN TENNESSEE TOWNS.

### ELEVEN STOPS ARE MADE

Denver Enthusiastically Greets Mr. Bryan and New York Is Preparing Great Reception for Him.

Bristol, Tenn., Oct. 17.—Judge William H. Taft's keynote for Tennessee and the south was struck by the candidate at Chattanooga Friday morning. Throughout the day, which was spent in traveling the state, he followed the same line of argument and met with the same hearty response.

With verbal amplifications, Judge Taft emphasized this argument: "With the material interests of the south dependent upon continuance of Republican policies; with nothing but historic traditions demanding its people to vote the Democratic ticket—praying meanwhile for the success of Republicanism—with southern Democracy nothing but a tail to northern Democracy's kite, then why not now take the first political step, go politically where the material interests of the country demand, and vote the Republican ticket?"

So great was the demand for the candidate that his itinerary of four stops in the state was increased to 11. He spoke during the day and evening at Chattanooga, Cleveland, Athens, Sweetwater, Loudon, Lenoir City, Knoxville, Morristown, Greenville, Johnson City and Bristol. With an all night run he reached Salisbury, N. C., Saturday morning and will be at Richmond, Va., by night.

Sheldon Gives Lie to Strauss.

New York, Oct. 17.—George H. Sheldon, treasurer of the Republican national committee, said Friday night, in reply to the statement made by Nathan Strauss at Democratic headquarters that many Republicans in Wall street had been required to give up \$500 each to the Republican campaign fund:

"That statement, like all other statements made during the campaign referring to contributions, is absolutely and unqualifiedly false."

Denver Welcomes Mr. Bryan.

Denver, Col., Oct. 17.—William J. Bryan, Democratic candidate for president, was the guest of this city for several hours Friday night and was given a most cordial reception. In spite of a threatening storm great crowds lined the streets through which the candidate rode to the auditorium, where he delivered the principal speech of the program of speaking-making outlined for him. All along the line of march he was received with enthusiastic acclaim. En route Mr. Bryan halted thrice to address the crowds.

Gotham Preparing for Bryan.

New York, Oct. 17.—A big reception for William J. Bryan when he comes to the city October 26 is being arranged by the National Democratic club. It is planned to hold the reception at the clubhouse in Fifth avenue at 6:30 in the afternoon and then at 6:30 have Mr. Bryan as guest of honor at a dinner to which about 100 persons will be invited. Later the 100 men who attend the dinner will act as escorts to the candidate in a ride down Fifth avenue to Madison square garden, where a meeting is to be held and at which Mr. Bryan is to deliver an address. It is the intention of the committee to have Fifth avenue lighted with varied colored flaming torches.

### BIG FIRE IN ROCK ISLAND.

Lumber Yards and Saw Works Burn, Loss Being \$500,000.

Rock Island, Ill., Oct. 17.—Fire Friday night caused \$500,000 damage in the yards of the Rock Island Lumber Company and the Rock Island Saw and Shave works. The flames started in the southwest corner of the yards and, fanned by a southeast gale, swept everything north to the river, devastating an area of ten acres in two hours. Twenty million feet of lumber and two sawmills were destroyed. The sawmills were burned off the bridge on the main line of the Rock Island railroad and traffic was tied up for several hours on main lines of the Chicago, Rock Island & Pacific, the Chicago, Burlington & Quincy and the Chicago, Milwaukee & St. Paul roads.

### Original "Topsy" Passes Away.

Boston, Oct. 17.—Mrs. George C. Howard, well known at one time as an actress, and the original "Topsy" in the dramatized form of "Uncle Tom's Cabin," died Thursday night at her home in Cambridge. Her maiden name was Caroline F. Fox, and she was born in Boston in 1829.

### New President for De Pauw.

Indianapolis, Ind., Oct. 17.—Rev. Francis J. McConnell, Ph. D., pastor of the New York Avenue Methodist Episcopal church, Brooklyn, N. Y., has accepted a call to the presidency of De Pauw university, Green Castle, Ind.

### Iowa Girl Commits Suicide.

Oakdale, Ia., Oct. 17.—Clara Watland, 16 years old, committed suicide at New Sharon Friday, because her mother scorned her. It is said, for tardiness in returning home from school. The girl took arsenic.

### The Horrid Day.

When a boy says he can't be tried to hit it with a rock, a girl tries to get it. —Acheson Globe.

## DENY BROTHERS' CHARGES

MORE WITNESSES HEARD IN THE CANAL INQUIRY.

Engineer C. B. Strickler Testifies the Complainant Offered Him a Commission of Ten Per Cent.

Washington, Oct. 17.—Unfair methods, improper influence and the offering of a ten per cent. commission to a government officer by a prospective contractor, are some of the charges that figured in a hearing at the war department Friday in the complaint against Lieut. Col. George W. Goodhue by William F. Brothers, president of the Balanced Crane Cable Company of New York. Mr. Brothers alleged unfair methods in the award of a contract for cranes for use on the isthmian canal. Inspector General Carlington presided at the hearing, which was in continuation of an investigation begun in New York. Gen. Carlington will later report to the secretary of war.

C. B. Strickler, an engineer on the canal since January, 1908, who had been detailed to inspect the plant of the Balanced Crane Cable Company, testified that he had not made any statement to Mr. Brothers about the specifications for the cranes as he knew nothing about them. He denied having said anything about using his influence to have Mr. Brothers' device accepted by the canal commission. He made an unfavorable report on the device to Mr. Williamson, his superior officer.

Alonso M. Lawson, who went to Panama in the interest of Brothers' company, denied that he had told Mr. Brothers that improper influences were at work against him. He said he was to receive a salary of \$65 a week and his expenses but had not received a cent of salary.

Mr. Strickler, recalled, stated that when he asked Mr. Brothers if he was personally acquainted with Mr. Williamson of the canal company, Mr. Brothers replied: "I will take care of you with ten per cent. and you can do with it as you like."

Mr. Strickler said he answered: "Mr. Brothers, you understand me. I do not stand for anything of that kind, and neither does Mr. Williamson."

### COAL ROADS ON THE GRILL.

Vice-President of the Erie Heard in Government Suit.

New York, Oct. 17.—Inquiry into the relations existing between various coal mining companies of Pennsylvania and the railroads conveying the output of the mines of these companies to tidewater, formed the subject of Friday's hearing in the suit of the government against the coal companies and the coal-carrying roads, charging illegal combination in restraint of trade in violation of the Sherman anti-trust act.

The examination of G. A. Richardson, vice-president of the Erie railroad, which took the entire afternoon session, revealed the fact that in addition to his official position with the railroad company, Mr. Richardson is vice-president of three coal mining companies—the Hillside Coal Company and the New York, Susquehanna & Western Company, the properties of which are situated in the Scranton district. The Erie controls the Hillside company and owns all but \$2,500 of the stock of the Pennsylvania company.

Mr. Richardson was questioned as to the method of determining the price scale for coal and declared that the duty of fixing the average price at tidewater devolved upon the general sales agents in New York. He had no power, he said, to make any change in the prices quoted to the general sales agents.

### TRY TO FLY AND FALLS.

Chattanooga Inventor of Aeroplane Comes to Grief.

Chattanooga, Tenn., Oct. 17.—In an attempt at flight in an aeroplane Friday, G. M. Mallory of this city fell 50 feet with his machine, and escaped with a few slight bruises. Mallory's aeroplane was partly wrecked. The inventor's wife witnessed the accident and was frightened into hysterics. She ran with her baby in her arms to the spot where the aeroplane had fallen and on her knees begged her husband to never attempt another flight. The inventor announced that he would rebuild his machine and try it again. This is the first attempt at aerial flight in the south.

### TUG RAMS A STEAMER.

One Man Drowned and Many Thrown Into Panic.

New York, Oct. 17.—One man was drowned and 75 persons were thrown into a panic Friday night when the steamer New York of the Albany Day line was rammed by the tug William H. Flannery in the North river. James Charles, foreman of the tugboat, was knocked overboard and sank immediately.

### Bank Cashier Is Arrested.

La Grande, Ore., Oct. 17.—J. W. Scriber, cashier of the Farmers' & Traders' National bank, was arrested Friday on a charge of embezzlement of the bank's funds. It is said the amount of defalcation will reach \$24,000.

### Well-Known Hotel Clerk Dies.

Kansas City, Mo., Oct. 17.—Irving W. Doolittle, chief clerk of the Hamilton hotel here and one of the most widely known hotel clerks in the west, died Friday.

### Fish of Value.

The British salmon is said to be worth \$50 a ton.

## The Younger Set

By ROBERT W. CHAMBERS.

Author of "The Fighting Chance," Etc.

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They exchanged a commonplace or two; then other people separated them without resistance on their part. And Selwyn found himself drifting, mildly interested in the rapid exchange of civilities which cost nobody a mental effort.

His sister, he had once thought, was certainly the most delicately youthful matron in New York. But now he made an exception of Mrs. Fane, Rosamund Fane was much younger—must have been younger, for she still had something of that volatile freshness, that vague atmosphere of immaturity clinging to her like a perfume almost too delicate to detect, and under that the most profound emptiness for mischief he had ever known of. Samterling amiably and the glittering group, continually forming and disintegrating under the clustered lights, he finally succeeded in reaching his hostess.

And Mrs. T. West Munroe disengaged herself from the throng with intention as he approached.

No, I am not so sorry, and it was very amiable of his hostess to want him, but he was not remaining for the dance.

So much for the hostess, who stood there motionless and gazed at him, her kindly and painted features tilted now with genuine emotion.

"Can you forgive a very much mortified old lady who is really and truly fond of you?" she said.

He laughed, holding her fat, ringed hands in both of his with all the attractive deference that explained his popularity. Rising excellent and sent the color into his face and cleared his pleasant gray eyes, and he looked very young and handsome, his broad shoulders bent a trifle before the amused and bejeweled matron.

"Forgive you?" he repeated, with a laugh, "On the contrary, I thank you, my charming woman, I know, if that is what you mean."

Looking after him as he made his way toward the cloakroom, "The boy is thoroughbred," she reflected cynically, "and the only amusement anybody can get out of it will be at my expense. Rosamund is a perfect cat!"

He had sent for his cab, which, no doubt, was in line somewhere, wedged among the ranks of carriages stretching east and west along the snowy street, and he stood on the thick crimson carpet under the awning while it was being summoned. The Cornelian Suydams, emerging from the house, offered Selwyn tobacco, but he smilingly declined, having a mind for solitude and the Lenoir club. A platoon of debutantes, opera bound, also left.

Then this sat heavily the other way, and there seemed no end to the flow of arriving vehicles and guests until he heard a name pronounced. A policeman warned back an approaching motor, and Selwyn saw Mrs. Ruthven, enveloped in white fur, step from the portal.

She saw him as he moved back, nodded, passed directly to her brougham and set foot on the step. Pausing here, she looked about her right and left, then over her shoulder straight back at Selwyn, and as she stood in silence, evidently awaiting him, it became impossible for him any longer to misunderstand without a public affront to her.

When he started toward her she spoke to her maid, and the latter moved aside, with a word to the groom in waiting.

"My maid will dismount your carriage," she said pleasantly when he halted beside her. "There is one thing more which I must say to you."

Was this what he had expected?

And might bring to him? Was this the prophecy of his hammering pulses?

"Please hurry before people come out," she added and entered the brougham.

"I can't do this," he muttered.

"I've sent away my maid," she said. "Nobody has noticed. Those are servants out there. Will you please come before anybody arriving or departing does notice?"

And as he did not move, "Are you going to make me conspicuous by this humiliation before servants?"

He said something between his set teeth and entered the brougham.

"Do you know what you've done?" he demanded harshly.

"Yes; nothing yet. But you would have done enough to stir this brougham if you had delayed another second."

"Your maid saw?"

"My maid is my maid."

He leaned back in his corner, gray eyes narrowing.

"Naturally," he said, "you are the one to be considered, not the man in the case."

"Thank you. Are you the man in the case?"

"There is no case," he said coolly.

"Then why worry about me?"

He folded his arms, suddenly at bay, yet had no pretension of what to expect from her.

"You were very brutal to me," she said at length.

"I know it, and I did not intend to be. The words came."

"You had me at your mercy and showed me little—a very little at first, afterward none."

"The words came," he repeated, "I'm sick with self contempt, I tell you."

She set her white gloved elbow on the window sill and rested her chin in her palm.

"That money," she said, with an effort, "You set some aside for me."

"Half," he nodded calmly.

"Why?"

He was silent.

"Why? I did not ask for it. There was nothing in the—the legal proceedings to lead you to believe that I desired it, was there?"

"No."

"Well, then—her breath came unsteadily—what was there in me to make you think I would accept it?"

He did not reply.

"Answer me. This is the time to answer me."

"The answer is simple enough," he said in a low voice. "Together we had made a failure of partnership. When that partnership was dissolved there remained the joint capital to be divided, and I divided it. Why not?"

"That capital was yours in the beginning, not mine. What I had of my own you never controlled, and I took it with me when I went."

"It was very little," he said.

"What of that? Did that concern you? Did you think I would have accepted anything from you? A thousand times I have been on the point of notifying you through attorney that the deposit now standing in my name is at your disposal."

"Why didn't you notify me then?" he asked, reddening to the temples.

"Because I did not wish to hurt you by doing it that way. And I had not the courage to say it kindly over my own signature. That is why, Captain Selwyn."

And as he remained silent: "That is what I had to say; not all, because I wish to thank you for offering it. You did not have very much either, and you divided what you had. So I thank you, and I return it." The tension forced her to attempt a laugh. "So we stand once more on equal terms unless you have anything of mine to return."

"I have your photograph," he said.

The silence lasted until he straightened up and, rubbing the fog from the window glass, looked out.

"We are in the park," he remarked, turning toward her.

"Yes, I did not know how long it might take to explain matters. You are free of me now whenever you wish."

He picked up the telephone—hesitated. "Home?" he inquired with an effort. And at the forgotten word they looked at one another in stricken silence.

"Yes; to your home first if you will let me drop you there."

"Thank you. That might be imprudent."

"No, I think not. You say you are living with the Cornells?"

"Yes, temporarily, but I've already taken another place."

"Where?"

"Oh, it's only a bachelor's kennel, a couple of rooms."

"Where, please?"

"Near Lexington and Sixty-sixth. I could go there. It's only partly furnished yet."

"Then tell Hudson to drive there."

"Thank you, but it is not necessary."

"Please let me. Tell Hudson or I will."

"You are very kind," he said and gave the order.

"May I ask my question?" she said.

"Ask it, child."

"Then are you happy?"

He did not answer.

"Because I desire it, Philip. I want you to be. You will be, won't you? I did not dream that I was ruining your great career when I went mad."

To be continued.

## BULGARIA WON'T PAY FOR FREEDOM

CABINET REJECTS PROPOSAL FOR INDEMNITY TO TURKEY.

### PORTE DISLIKES PROGRAM

Wants Redress from Powers, Not Sympathy—Duel Between Austrian and Russian Diplomats Averted.

Sofia, Oct. 17.—The members of the Bulgarian cabinet, who accompanied Czar Ferdinand to his Bleditz hunting lodge in the Rila mountains, returned here Friday afternoon and announced the result of their deliberations under the presidency of Ferdinand.

The cabinet has decided to reject the proposal emanating from London for the payment of indemnity to Turkey as a condition of recognizing Bulgaria's independence. A note to that effect will be sent by the Bulgarian administration to the powers.

The only question the government is willing to negotiate is the purchase rights of the Oriental Railroad Company.

### No Mobilization at Present.

A member of the cabinet made the statement that there would be no mobilization of the troops for the present, at least as Bulgaria was in a position to know that the Turkish movements of troops on the frontier were purely of a local character.

He said also that the refusal of his government to pay an indemnity to Turkey would in no wise hurt that country, as the Rumanian tribute flowed exclusively into the coffers of Turkey's creditors. The cabinet takes the ground that the payment of an indemnity for independence would be the most supreme justification of the country.

### Turkey Dislikes Plan.

Paris, Oct. 17.—Nouveau Press, the Turkish ambassador to France, in an interview Friday on the situation in the Balkans, said that the program of the international conference was not acceptable to Turkey as a basis of negotiations. "We asked the signatories of the Berlin treaty to take concerted action for the breach in the treaty in the matter of Bosnia and Herzegovina," he said.

"Sympathy is well enough—Austria, Hungary, Bulgaria, Germany and Italy undoubtedly are sympathetic also—but what we want is redress."

### Celebration at Haverford.

Philadelphia, Oct. 17.—With hundreds of the alumni from all parts of the United States and many educators from other institutions present, Haverford college Friday began a two-day celebration of the seventy-fifth anniversary of its founding. The institution is the oldest Friends' college in the United States.

### Dr. Mann Declines Disheprie.

Washington, Oct. 17.—Giving as a controlling reason that his work in Boston is still unfinished, Rev. Dr. Alexander Mann, pastor of Trinity Episcopal church of that city, has declined the position of bishop of Washington, to succeed the late Rt. Rev. Henry V. Satterlee.

### Menelik Reported to Be Dead.

Paris, Oct. 17.—The Petit Journal says news has been received that Menelik, emperor of Abyssinia, is dead and that his death has been followed by grave troubles. The information lacks official confirmation.

### Fears for the Steamer Sequin.

Winnipeg, Man., Oct. 17.—Apprehension is felt at Port Arthur, Ont., over the non-arrival of the steamer Sequin, which left the Soo Sunday, and has not been heard from since.

### HALF A CENTURY OF SUCCESS

When the Reverend Father John O'Brien of Lowell, Mass., recommended to his parishioners and friends the prescription that had restored him to health and strength, the people named it Father John's Medicine, and so it became known and was advertised, with his knowledge and approval. The prescription of an eminent specialist, it is pure and wholesome, and free from poisonous narcotics or nerve-debilitating drugs in any form—not a patent medicine. Its power to make strength and build up the body explains why it has been so successful for fifty years in curing colds and all throat and lung troubles.

### TEETH EXTRACTED WITHOUT PAIN.

The Greatest Invention of the age for suffering humanity. No danger from colds, no soreness of gums, no physical debility thereafter.

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SEVENTEEN YEARS AN  
EXPERIENCED SPECIALIST.  
Teeth Extracted  
Without Pain.



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### HOTEL MYERS

Thursday, October 23.  
LADY ATTENDANT.

### ORDINANCE NO. 330.

An ordinance to provide for and to compel the occupant or occupants of any and all houses, stores and other buildings in the city of Jamesville to number the same in accordance with the provisions of this ordinance.

The Mayor and Common Council of the City of Jamesville do ordain as follows:

Section 1.—The occupant or occupants of any house, store or other building in the city of Jamesville now, or hereafter erected shall number the same in accordance with the provisions of this ordinance.

Carry it from Room to Room

## Early Morning Comfort

Open your sleeping-room windows—let in the crisp, fresh air—but your room need not be cold while dressing—a touch of a match and the welcome heat is radiating from the

## PERFECTION Oil Heater

Equipped with Smokeless Device

For heating the bath-room quickly it's a great convenience, and will make the morning dip as glorious as in the summer.

Now it's breakfast time—make the room cozy and cheerful—your breakfast more enjoyable and start the day without a shiver. The Automatic Smokeless Device prevents all smoke and smell and makes it impossible to turn the wick too high or too low. Cleaned in a minute—burns 9 hours with one filling. Finished in Nickel and Japan. Every heater guaranteed.

The Rayo Lamp can be used in any room—household use—ideal and best for all-round burner—bright light at small cost. Absolutely safe. All parts easily cleaned. Made of brass, nickel plated. Every lamp warranted. If you cannot get the Rayo Lamp or Perfection Oil Heater from your dealer, write to our nearest agency for descriptive circular.

STANDARD OIL COMPANY (Incorporated)

### HEARST NOTIFIED OF SUIT.

Deputy Sheriff Breaks Into His Car at Omaha.

Omaha, Neb., Oct. 17.—After a dramatic scene on Union Pacific train No. 2, in which the door of his stateroom was burst open by a deputy sheriff, William Randolph Hearst, the millionaire editor, was served with papers notifying him that suit for \$500,000 had been brought against him for slander and libel by Gov. Charles N. Haskell of Oklahoma in the Douglas county (Oklahoma) district court. The summons was served by Deputy Sheriff Stewart for Smyth & Smith of Omaha, who are now Gov. Haskell's attorneys in the suit.

### Paper Makers' Strike Spreads.

New York, Oct. 17.—Through the ordering out of men employed in the independent paper mills it was indicated Friday that efforts are being made to make the paper strike general. Several independent concerns were compelled to close down because the men were ordered to go on strike by J. T. Carry, president of the Paper Makers' union.

### Woman Burned to Death.

Peoria, Ill., Oct. 17.—As a result of Lee Armstrong's stumbling over a rug and dropping a lamp at the feet of his wife, the latter is dead, the husband is in a critical condition and John Scroller is severely injured.

### Darke County, Ohio, Goes Dry.

Columbus, O., Oct. 17.—Darke county voted dry Friday by a majority of 111. There are 37 saloons in the county.

### Gold Medal Flour Leads them All.

Approved, S. H. HEDDLERS, Mayor.

### HANDY TIME TABLE.

Chicago via Clinton—C. & N. W. Ry.—4:20, 4:30, 4:55, 6:00, 8:00, 9:10, a. m.; 12:50, 1:55, 2:55, 3:55, 4:55, 5:55, 6:55, 7:55, 8:55, 9:55, 10:55, 11:55, a. m.; 12:55, 1:55, 2:55, 3:55, 4:55,

## SERIOUS BLAZE AT OSHKOSH THIS A. M.

Fire in the Lumber Yards of the Morgan Company Destroyed Property Worth \$85,000.  
(SPECIAL TO THE GAZETTE.)  
Oshkosh, Wis., Oct. 17.—Losses to the Morgan Company, which were sustained this morning at an early hour by a fire in the lumber yards of the Morgan Company, are estimated at \$85,000. Other property owners having losses which bring the total up to \$85,000, are: The H. C. Doman Company, engine builders; Major R. P. Davidson, of Huron Park, who lost a cabin launch; John Oppenberg, S. Huthorn and W. S. Doman.

## TODAY'S MARKETS.

(BY ASSOCIATED PRESS.)

Chicago, Oct. 17.—Cattle receipts, 800; market, steady; hogs, 3,400; 7.50; cows and heifers, 1.60 to 5.20; western, 3.10 to 5.70; calves, 6.00 to 8.50. Hog receipts, 11,000; market, weak, 5 to 15c lower; light, 5.20 to 5.70; heavy, 5.30 to 6.20; mixed, 5.30 to 6.00; pigs, 3.00 to 5.00; bulk of sales, 5.15 to 5.75. Sheep receipts, 1,500; market, steady; western, 2.50 to 4.50; natives, 2.50 to 4.00; lambs, 4.00 to 6.00. Wheat: May—Opening, 1.03 1/2 to 1.04 1/2; high, 1.03 1/2; low, 1.02 1/2; closing, 1.02 1/2. July—Opening, .98 1/2 to .99 1/2; high, .98 1/2; low, .97 1/2; closing, .97 1/2. Dec.—Opening, .94 1/2 to .95 1/2; high, .94 1/2; low, .93 1/2; closing, .93 1/2. Rye—Closing, .75; Dec., .76; May, .80. Barley—Closing, .55 1/2 to .56 1/2. Corn—May, .63 1/2; July, .62 1/2; Dec., .63 1/2. Oats—May, .50 1/2 to .51 1/2; July, .49 1/2; Dec., .48 1/2. Poultry—Turkeys, 15c; springers, 10c; chickens, 8 1/2 to 9. Butter—Creamery, 20 1/2 to 21; dairy, 13 to 14. Eggs—23.

## JANESVILLE MARKETS

Janesville, Wis., Oct. 13.  
New Bar Corn—\$1.12 per ton.  
Corn Meal—\$2.25 per ton.  
Feed Corn and Oats—\$2.25 to \$2.34 per ton.  
Standard Middlings—\$2.67 to \$2.68.  
Oil Meal—\$1.70 to \$1.80 per cwt.  
New Oats—46 to 47c.  
Hay—\$8.50 to \$9.00 per ton.  
Straw—\$3.00 to \$3.50 per ton.  
Rye—\$2.50 to \$2.60 per ton.  
Rye—75c for 60 lbs.  
Barley—55c.  
Creamery Butter—23c.  
Eggs—Fresh, 21 to 22.  
New Potatoes—38 to 40c bu.

Main, Oct. 12.—Butter, 27 1/2c; output for week, this district, 679,100 lbs.

## BROADHEAD.

Broadhead, Oct. 17.—Congressman H. A. Cooper was greeted by a big audience last evening and the crowd heard a clear speech free from abuse and full of instruction and sound sense. Time and again he was cheered and applauded which gives clear evidence of his popularity in this vicinity.

E. Y. Douglas and Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Hall spent Friday in Janesville. Rev. and Mrs. J. A. Herch of Oshkosh were yesterday the guests of friends.

Mr. A. B. Comstock, member for Member of Assembly from Albany, spent Friday here. Messrs. Wm. Grady, George Atherton, Ben Hurdow and Mr. and Mrs. H. C. Atherton were Monroe visitors on Friday.

Mrs. Wm. Brislin of Joda and Mrs. James Bryant of Brantford, Indiana, were here on Friday the guests of the former's daughter, Mrs. Fred Warr.

Candidate for County Clerk J. W. Stewart of the town of York, and George Thorpe, candidate for county treasurer, were here to listen to Mr. Cooper last evening.

Mr. and Mrs. H. C. Atherton of Albany were guests of Mr. and Mrs. D. E. Hooker on Friday.

Hon. John Aylward, candidate for governor on the democratic ticket, will speak in Broughton's opera house this evening.

## Universal Law.

There is no clean-cut formula to explain nature's ways yet; perhaps there never will be. The leaders of scientific thought teach us above all things the value of diffidence. Law rules throughout the universe, but its fundamental principles become harder and harder to grasp the nearer we seem to have come to them.

## Daily Thought.

Nothing would be a lesson to us if it did not come too late.—George Eliot.

# PUTNAM'S Alarm Sale

Begins Monday, Oct. 19

The Greatest Value Ever Offered In An Alarm Clock. A Clock Actually  
**WORTH \$3 TO BE SOLD AT \$1**

The clock is a beautiful Mission Parlor and Alarm Clock, stands 12 inches high, 5 inches wide.

This guaranteed Clock is an excellent time-keeper and attractive ornament. The movements are constructed with cut steel pinions throughout time and alarm trains, and all train wheels have cut teeth not pressed.

The case is absolutely dust proof. The frame is made of heavy oak, mission finish.

Just think of buying this handsome Parlor and Alarm Clock worth \$3.00 for \$1.00.

## C. S. PUTNAM

FURNITURE AND CROCKERY  
See Window Display



## Special Values in Voile and Silk Skirts at \$9.75

Will place on sale Monday a line of half a hundred separate Skirts, made of black Altman voile and black chiffon taffeta. These skirts are made in the season's favorite styles similar to the skirts in the illustration, and are examples of the best of skirt making. There are several different styles and all on sale at a choice—

# \$9.75

New Suits and new Coats are here by every express. The millinery department is having its inning at present.

Simpson's  
GARMENT STORE

# A FIVE PASSENGER TOURING CAR

A 1909 Model With 20 h. p. Four Cylinder Engine at \$850—That is the Ford Model T

The value offered in this car is from \$400.00 to \$800.00 more than is offered in any other car in its class. It has more power per weight than any other touring car in the world.

The reputation of the Ford cars are as good as any in the country. Henry Ford who designed this car has never designed a failure. There are 25,000 Ford Cars on the market today, all giving perfect satisfaction.

Almost any man can afford a touring car at this price. It is no higher than the general line of runabouts sell for.

The literature in regard to this car is very interesting to those who intend to buy an automobile within the near future. A postal will bring all information. Or phone old phone 2733; new 242 red

## JANESVILLE GARAGE CO.

8 North River Street

## Beyond the Limit.

A man may think he is thinking and still have glimpses of intelligence. When he thinks other people think he is thinking there is no hope for him.

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We have possibly come to the front quicker than any other baker in the city. We depend upon our home cooking and the exquisite quality of our goods. The story came in of certain ladies at the church asking what to have for dinner. One spoke up and said she was going to have one of our beautiful cakes; that it was more satisfactory to buy them of us than to make them yourself.

Home made 10-cakes, 50c, one-half 25c.  
Loaf Cakes, 10c.  
Angel Food, 15c.

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## Hoosier Kitchen Cabinet

To Be Given Away Absolutely Free

The manufacturer of the Hoosier Cabinet has sent us one of their finest cabinets with instructions to give it away to some housekeeper who calls at our store during the display week.

There are no strings to this offer. It is not necessary to buy anything. We have tried to distribute in every home in the city and county our circular with coupon which entitles you to a chance on the cabinet. Fill it out and bring it in here and it will be numbered and filed. The cabinet will be given away October 24. The display is to continue during all next week.

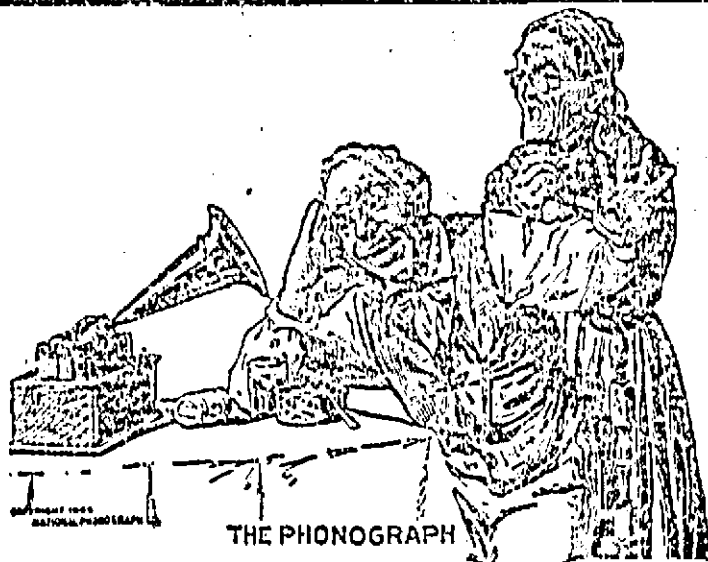
When you see this labor saving kitchen machine you will be anxious to own one. There are hundreds of ladies who would not be without one. It saves miles of walking. It brings everything right before you. It has compartments for almost everything. In fact it is a complete pantry and work table all in one. It has an aluminum top on which all the work is done. It is sanitary. It comprises every modern convenience.

The prices and terms of payment will be announced in Monday's paper. There will be a demonstration of the Cabinet every day next week. If you will be interested we shall tell you about the Hoosier Club we are organizing. You will not be asked to buy anything if you are not interested. Those who have not received coupons can get one by calling at the store, but every woman should get a coupon and bring it in so as to get her chance on getting the cabinet free.

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Come in to the store and see what they can do. We will be pleased to demonstrate the new machines.

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